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THERE FOLLOWS AGREED TEXT OF PRESS RELEASE ON MEETING OF
US-USSR EDITORIAL BOARD. TEXT IS EMBARGOED FOR RELEASE
MONDAY, APRIL 8, AT 16:00 HOURS MOSCOW TIME:

THE USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES AND NASA HAVE
RELEASED THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:

" THE SEVENTH AND FINAL MEETING OF THE JOINT
UNITED STATES - USSR EDITORIAL BOARD FOR THE
PREPARATION AND PUBLICATION OF A REVIEW OF SPACE
BIOLOGY AND MEDICINE COMPLETED A FIVE DAY SESSION
APRIL 5 IN MOSCOW.

"THE JOINT REVIEW OF RESEARCH IN SPACE BIOLOGY
AND MEDICINE IS BEING CARRIED FORWARD UNDER AN
OCTOBER 8, 1965 MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN
THE NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION
AND THE USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES. THE AGREEMENT
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PROVIDES FOR A JOINT EDITORIAL BOARD AND FOR FULL

COOPERATION BY BOTH SIDES IN THE PREPARATION OF
MATERIALS AVAILABLE IN THE TWO COUNTRIES,
SELECTION OF AUTHORS AND PUBLICATIONS OF THEIR
WORK.

"THE JOINT EDITORIAL BOARD DURING THIS MEETING
REVIEWED THE FINAL MANUSCRIPTS AND PREPARATIONS
FOR PRINTING THAT ARE NEEDED TO BRING THIS
PUBLICATION TO THE READER IN THE NEAR FUTURE.
AS A RESULT OF THIS REVIEW, THE JOINT EDITORIAL
BOARD IS PLEASED TO RECOMMEND THESE VOLUMES AS
AN EXCELLENT SUMMARY OF THE BIOLOGICAL AND MEDICAL
RESULTS OF THE FIRST 15 YEARS OF SPACE FLIGHT FOR
THE SCIENTIST, THE STUDENT AND THOSE WHO ARE ONLY
GENERALLY INTERESTED IN SPACE FLIGHT.

"PRESIDING AT THE MEETING WERE CO-CHAIRMAN
OF THE EDITORIAL BOARD, PROFESSOR OLEG G. GAZENKO,
DIRECTOR, INSTITUTE OF BIOMEDICAL PROBLEMS SOVIET
MINISTRY OF HEALTH ON BEHALF OF THE USSR AND
PROFESSOR MELVIN CALVIN, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
ON BEHALF OF THE US. THE FINAL RECOMMENDATION
OF THE JOINT EDITORIAL BOARD WILL BE FORWARDED
TO THE HEADS OF THE SOVIET ACADEMY OF SCIENCES AND
NASA FOR APPROVAL." END TEXT
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